

Appl. No. : 10/705,824
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REMARKS

Applicant has previously cancelled Claims 1-16, Claims 17, 20- 22, 25-26, 30-33 are submitted herewith without changes and the Applicant has amended Claims 18, 19, 23, 24, 27, 28, 29, 34, 35. Applicant has added Claim 36. As a result of this Amendment, Claims 17-36 are pending.

The foregoing amendments are the result of a telephone conversation held with the Examiner today. It is respectfully submitted that the present application is fully in condition for allowance, and such action is earnestly solicited.

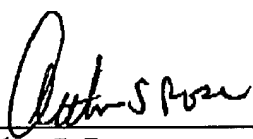
If any undeveloped issues remain or if any issues require clarification, the Examiner is respectfully requested to call the undersigned in order to resolve such issues promptly.

Please charge any additional fees, including any fees for additional extension of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.

Respectfully submitted,

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